



Transportation Permits Policy Memorandum

Subject: Crane Boom Dolly Weight Limits

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Policy: TPPM 2004-01

Reference: CTPAC-WG9-111203-001

Objectives

This policy:

Allows cranes, that otherwise conform to permit policy, current legal weight on the boom support vehicle. The allowable axle weights will be determined from the California Vehicle Code 35550. The boom support vehicle will be limited to a total gross weight of 54,000 pounds. These cranes will qualify for five axle Annual Permits.

Existing Documentation

Transportation Permits Manual (TPM)

Section 305.3.6 Fourth Bullet (Portion) – Allowable axle weights

- The gross weight imposed on the highway by the wheels of any one axle of a boom dolly or boom trailer shall not exceed 18,000 pounds and the gross weight upon any one wheel or wheels supporting one end of such axle, and resting upon the roadway shall not exceed 9,500 pounds.

Transportation Permits Manual Changes

Change Section 305.3.6 Fourth bullet to read as follows:

The gross weight imposed on the highway by a boom dolly or boom trailer shall not exceed 54000 pounds. The allowable axle weights will be determined from the California Vehicle Code Sections 35550 and Section 35551.5.

 

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